# **2005 Business Awards**

## Nominations Sought from Businesses and Citizens

The Falls Church City Council, Economic Development Authority, Environmental Services Council, and the Greater Falls Church Chamber of Commerce, invite you to nominate local businesses and business persons for the 2005 Business Awards. Deadline for submission is October 27, 2005. All citizens and businesses are encouraged to participate.

The businesses and business persons selected for awards will be honored by the Falls Church City Council, the Economic Development Authority, and the Environmental Services Council in January 2006.

### See reverse side for nomination form.

#### Return nomination forms to:

Mail: City of Falls Church

c/o Stephanie Johnson 300 Park Avenue Falls Church, VA 22046

Fax: 703-248-5103

Email: econdev@fallschurchva.gov

In Person: Drop off boxes at Mary Riley Styles Library, the Community Center, and the City Manager's Office in City Hall.

Nomination forms are also available on the City of Falls Church website at http://www.fallschurchva.gov. For more information, contact Stephanie Johnson, in the Office of Economic Development, at 703-248-5491.

Please note all businesses and business persons nominated must be in regulatory and financial compliance with the City to be eligible for selection.



Nomination Deadline

October 27, 2005

## **2005 Business Awards Nomination Form**

You may nominate for any or all of the categories listed below, but please nominate only one business or individual per category. If additional space is required, please attach extra sheet(s) as needed.

Business of the Year Award - To be awarded to the business that exemplifies proven sustainability in the local economy, innovative business practices that have increased company visibility, and/or contributes to the community through service or donations.  Nominee and Explanation:	Most Improved Commercial Property Award - To be awarded to a business that has contributed to the aesthetic quality of the City through new construction, renovation of a building or through the construction or improvement of landscaping.  Nominee and Explanation
Business Person of the Year Award - To be awarded to the business person who has demonstrated extraordinary personal contributions to the community, innovative thinking in response to business challenges encountered, and/or leadership qualities in the community and business spheres.  Nominee and Explanation	Environmental Stewardship Award - To be awarded to a business that demonstrates concern for the environment through interior business practices that include commitment to recycling, waste reduction, and use of recycled products; exemplifies dedication to the environment through exterior design and practices that include landscaping that uses native plants and reduces surface runoff; use of 'green' building technology; and maintains a clean and litter-free property.  Nominee and Explanation
New Business of the Year Award - To be awarded to a business that opened in 2005 that exemplifies enhancement of the local economy, innovative business practices, and/or contributes to the community through service or donations.  Nominee and Explanation	Excellence in Customer Service - To be awarded to a business that provides exceptional service to its patrons.  Nominee and Explanation
Innovative Technology Award - To be awarded to a business that utilizes technology for the development or use of innovative products, services, or ideas in any business sector.  Nominee and Explanation	Optional Information Your name: Address: Phone number: Email address:
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